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Welcome to the September issue the Radio HF Newsletter. I'm hoping that things are well in your part of the world. It's still pretty hot here in the Montreal region. Hopefully fall and, eventually, winter are both still a ways off yet. If you're like me, as I age, the days, weeks, months, even the years seem to fly by much quicker than ever before. When you are involved in a lot of weekly or monthly activities, or if you have deadlines (such as sending out a monthly Newsletter!), I find that time seems to go by much more quickly. An example of that of course is this Newsletter as the month between editions seems to now be half as long as it used to be. All this to say that this issue is late again but I just don't seem to be able to do anything about it. Patience is the key.

Our Monthly Special Zone for September includes web pages on National POW/MIA Recognition Day, United Nations: International Day of Peace, and United Nations: International Day for the Total Elimination of Nuclear Weapons

This month's virtual voyage around the world, in the "Where in the World Zone", takes us to Europe, to the country of Croatia. Officially the Republic of Croatia, it is a sovereign state at the crossroads of Central Europe, Southeast Europe, and the Mediterranean. Its capital city is Zagreb, which forms one of the country's primary subdivisions, along with its twenty counties. Croatia has diverse, mostly continental and Mediterranean climates. Croatia's Adriatic Sea coast contains more than a thousand islands. The country is bordered by Bosnia & Herzegovina to the south-southeast; Serbia to the east; Hungary and Slovenia to the north; and the Adriatic Sea to the west.

Let's get down to business with this month's collection of web sites.

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None this month

THE CONTRIBUTORS ZONE

Thanks to our 5 contributors this month. To the rest of you, please consider sending in a website, or two, for future issues of the Newsletter.

Lanny Conroy, Dollard des Ormeaux, Quebec
Robert Ellis, Beaconsfield, Quebec
John Fisher, N. Chelmsford, Massachusetts
Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec
Jerry Proc, Toronto, Ontario

THE MONTHLY SPECIAL ZONE

Here are some special days and events in September

MONTHLY CELEBRATIONS

Ethnic Food Month
National Food Safety Education Month
National Prostate Cancer Awareness Month

WEEKLY CELEBRATIONS

7 – 13 National Suicide Prevention Week

SPECIAL DAYS

1 – Labor Day
5 – United Nations: International Day of Charity
8 – United Nations: International Literacy Day
11 – Patriot Day and National Day of Remembrance
15 – United Nations: International Day of Democracy
16 – United Nation: International Day for Preservation of the Ozone Layer
18 – National POW/MIA Recognition Day
21 – United Nations: International Day of Peace
25 – United Nations: World Maritime Day
26 – United Nations: International Day for the Total Elimination of Nuclear Weapons
27 – United Nations: World Tourism Day

ON THE LIGHTER SIDE

Happy Cat Month
National Service Dog Month
14 – National Boss/Employee Exchange Day

Sources:
2015 Chase's Calendar of Events
2015 California Department of Education - Calendar of Events
2015 National Health & Wellness Observances Calendar
2015 United Nations Observances
2015 USDA Health Observances & Holidays
Metro - metrocreativeconnection.com
National Food Days – ScottRobertsWeb.com
VIA
http://ucanr.edu/sites/Spanish/Calendario/September_2011/
http://ucanr.edu/sites/Spanish/Calendario/September_2011/

Here are some websites related to some of the special days and events for the month of September

NATIONAL POW/MIA RECOGNITION DAY

http://www.pow-miafamilies.org/events/recognition-day/
http://www.pow-miafamilies.org/events/recognition-day/

National POW/MIA Recognition Day will be observed on Friday, Sept. 18, 2015. This annual event honors our missing service members and their families, and highlights the government's commitment to account for them.

THE INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PEACE

http://internationaldayofpeace.org/ http://internationaldayofpeace.org/

International Day of Peace ("Peace Day") is observed around the world each year on 21 September. Anyone, anywhere can celebrate Peace Day. It can be as simple as lighting a candle at noon, sitting in silent meditation, or doing a good deed for someone you don't know. Or it can involve getting your co-workers, organization, community or government engaged in a large

event. The theme for 2015 is Partnerships for Peace – Dignity for All.

INTERNATIONAL DAY FOR THE TOTAL ELIMINATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS

http://www.un.org/en/events/nuclearweaponelimination/
http://www.un.org/en/events/nuclearweaponelimination/

Some 16,000 nuclear weapons remain. Countries possessing such weapons have well-funded, long-range plans to modernize their nuclear arsenals. More than half of the world's population still lives in countries that either have such weapons or are members of nuclear alliances. As of 2015, not one nuclear weapon has been physically destroyed pursuant to a treaty, bilateral or multilateral, and no nuclear disarmament negotiations are underway.

RADIO H.F. PUBLICITY ZONE #1

RADIO HF
THE COMPLETELY NEW, UPDATED WEBPAGE

Radio HF, Canada's specialist in shortwave radio, AM/FM, scanners, amateur radio, FRS/GMRS, CB radio, antennas, accessories and publications since 1995, now has a completely updated webpage as of August 1st. I invite everyone to browse through it. Equipment and accessories are divided by categories. Each category offers a list of the various companies whose equipment is available through Radio HF. Live links to each company are available to browse the complete lines of products. Under the "Publications" tab, you'll find an extensive, detailed list of the largest selection of radio and communications related publications available in Canada.

Due to the constant changes in pricing on products, prices are not included on the webpage, with the exception of the publications. If you are interested in any products, simply e-mail or telephone Radio HF to obtain a price quotation and information on availability.

Radio HF is an on-line retailer. There is no storefront here in the Montreal region. However arrangements can be made for clients in the Montreal region to pick up their merchandise locally. Radio HF will ship across Canada and worldwide. Payments for orders can be made by cheque or money order, by Mastercard or Visa, or most conveniently using PayPal.

Please visit the Radio HF webpage at

www.radiohf.ca http://www.radiohf.ca/

WHERE IN THE WORLD ZONE
THIS MONTH – CROATIA

C.I.A. WORLD FACTBOOK – CROATIA

https://www.cia.gov/library/publications/the-world-factbook/geos/hr.html
https://www.cia.gov/library/publications/the-world-factbook/geos/hr.html

WIKIPEDIA – CROATIA

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Croatia https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Croatia

GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF CROATIA

https://vlada.gov.hr/en https://vlada.gov.hr/en

The official website of the Croatian government

CROATIAN NATIONAL TOURIST BOARD

http://croatia.hr/en-GB/Homepage http://croatia.hr/en-GB/Homepage

The official tourism site of the country

RADIO STATION WORLD – CROATIA

http://radiostationworld.com/Locations/Croatia/
http://radiostationworld.com/Locations/Croatia/

This is a listing of radio services in the country

HRVATSKA RADIO TELEVISIJA

http://www.hrt.hr/ http://www.hrt.hr/

This is the page of the national radio and TV service in the country. (Webpage in Croatian)

CROATIAN NEWSPAPERS & NEWS MEDIA GUIDE

http://www.abyznewslinks.com/croat.htm http://www.abyznewslinks.com/croat.htm

A listing of Croatian news and media sources

THE RADIO ZONE

RADIO.NET

http://www.radio.net/ http://www.radio.net/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Radio.net offers more than 20.000 radio stations and podcasts and reports a number of 4 million monthly unique users and 17 million app downloads worldwide. Subscribe to their newsletter to read interesting interviews, exciting stories from the world of radio and station tips by international artists.

THE RADIO

http://www.theradio.com/ http://www.theradio.com/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

You'll have some fun with this page. The Radio provides you with the choice of searching for music by a particular artist, or you can choose a genre, or from a selection of specialized music channels. Choose one and a song comes up on the player automatically and it will continue playing that artist, genre or channel until you change it.

U.S. EARLY RADIO HISTORY – WORD ORIGINS

http://earlyradiohistory.us/sec022.htm http://earlyradiohistory.us/sec022.htm

Via Robert Ellis, Beaconsfield, Quebec

This page, Section 22 of a very large information source of early radio history in the United States, looks at the origins of some key words in the field of radio.

TRANSISTOR RADIO DESIGN

http://www.jamesbutters.com/ http://www.jamesbutters.com/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

This site focuses on the design of pocket transistor radios manufactured during the 1950's & 1960's!

RADIO WALLAH

http://tabiwallah.com/radiowallah/index.html http://tabiwallah.com/radiowallah/index.html

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

This is Alan Kastner’s RadioWallah site of smoking hot radios; rare and desirable with superb photography plus an invaluable resource for dating Japanese radios.

WEBSDR

http://websdr.org/ http://websdr.org/

VIA Lanny Conroy, Dollard des Ormeaux, Quebec

Some readers might be interested in listening to shortwave via the SDR
websites. There are now over 100 around the world. Here is a site that lists most of them. The site also has links to info on software defined radio. I've been listening to one in the Netherlands. It is one of the most popular with well over 100 simultaneous users. I've been using HTML5 but it works with Java or HTML5. The antenna is only a mini whip according to the main listing site above but stations are coming in with good signals.

WILD COAST RADIO

http://wildcoastradio.co.za/ http://wildcoastradio.co.za/

VIA John Fisher, N. Chelmsford, Massachusetts

This page is about Capital Radio, which used to broadcast on Medium and Short Wave from the "Republic of Transkei." This "nation", along with several others, was created by South Africa as an independent black state. With majority rule, these states were reabsorbed into South Africa. I used to hear Capital Radio on Shortwave, 3950 kHz. It was often bothered by Hams, but had decent reception when the frequency was clear. Still have a nice QSL from them with "Republic of Transkei" postage stamps.

RADIO H.F. BOOK REVIEW ZONE

EDITOR: T. J. “Skip” Arey

Portable Antenna Classics
Edited by Steve Ford WB8IMY
118 Pages - ISBN: 978-1-62595-034-5
$22.95 US or $27.50 Canadian
ARRL Order # 0345
ARRL
225 Main Street
Newington, CT, 06111-1494 USA
Tel: 1-860-594-0200 Fax: 1-860-594-0259
hq@arrl.org mailto:hq@arrl.org

This book just came in over the transom but I wanted to move it up the cue a bit because we still have a couple of months of decent weather to make use of what you might find in its pages.
As many of you know, the XYL and I are avid campers, both tent and trailer. I have several portable rig setups for camping, hiking, kayaking, and even bicycling. So when a new resource dealing with portable antennas comes around, you can bet I am going to be spending some quality time with it! Like all of the ARRL antenna books, this one does not disappoint.
Steve WB8IMY has gathered together the best of the best from over 30 years of QST magazine articles. These are not just great designs, but they have been used and commented upon by the ham community over the years to the point of potable perfection.
In this book, you not only get some great basic technical antenna designs, you also will discover many clever uses of non-traditional materials such as painter’s poles and PVC pipe. I am consistently amazed at the resourcefulness of my fellow hams when it comes to antenna construction.
While I am partial to HF operation, this book also includes many practical ideas for folks that are more interested in VHF/UHF Operations.
The designs in this book can also be easily adapted for folks with antenna restrictions or

other space limitations. A little creative thinking and some well placed wire can always get you on the air. This book will show you the ropes; often literally. Highly recommended!

Available in the US from the American Radio Relay League and in Canada from Radio HF

THE GENERAL ZONE

COMMITTEE TO PROTECT JOURNALISTS

https://cpj.org/ https://cpj.org/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

The Committee to Protect Journalists is an independent, nonprofit organization that promotes press freedom worldwide. Note that this site is available in several languages.

ABYZ NEWS LINKS

http://www.abyznewslinks.com/ http://www.abyznewslinks.com/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

ABYZ News Links is a directory of links to online news sources from around the world. It is organized on a geographical basis. It contains links to newspapers and other sites with news content such as broadcast stations, internet services, magazines, and press agencies.

FREEDOM OF THE PRESS FOUNDATION

https://freedom.press/ https://freedom.press/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Freedom of the Press Foundation is a non-profit organization dedicated to helping support and defend public-interest journalism focused on exposing mismanagement, corruption, and law-breaking in government. It is built on the recognition that this kind of transparency journalism

DEEP SPACE NETWORK

http://eyes.nasa.gov/dsn/ http://eyes.nasa.gov/dsn/

VIA Robert Ellis, Beaconsfield, Quebec

At three sites around the globe NASA's Jet Propulsion Laboratory operates a network of large radio antennas called the DSN. The DSN is used to keep in contact with the spacecraft exploring our solar system and the universe beyond. This online tool will let you see what the DSN is up to right now. Which antennas are currently in use? Which spacecraft are talking to us? How quickly is data being received? How long does a signal take to get there, and back?

M.C. ESCHER – MINDSCAPES

http://www.gallery.ca/escher/mindscapes/index.htm
http://www.gallery.ca/escher/mindscapes/index.htm

VIA Robert Ellis, Beaconsfield, Quebec

This website invites you to see the world from Escher’s unique perspective. It offers insights into the kind of person he was, what his sources of inspiration were, how he created his paradoxical and poetic works, and why his images are so popular.

FACTS ABOUT MODERN GREECE

https://www.youtube.com/embed/xi7IbnbotEs?E=player_embedded
https://www.youtube.com/embed/xi7IbnbotEs?E=player_embedded

VIA Jerry Proc, Toronto, Ontario

This video shows Greece in a somewhat more positive light than we've been seeing over the recent past.

RUSSIA'S MONSTER AIRCRAFT SHIP

http://thebrigade.com/2015/07/09/russias-unprecedented-monster-aircraft-ship-53-photos-and-story/ http://thebrigade.com/2015/07/09/russias-unprecedented-monster-aircraft-ship-53-photos-and-story/

VIA Jerry Proc, Toronto, Ontario

Check out this amazing piece of machinery. It's amazing it ever gets off the ground.

6 OF THE WILDEST TOP SECRET SPY MISSIONS OF WORLD WAR II

http://www.businessinsider.com/6-of-the-wildest-top-secret-spy-missions-of-world-war-ii-2015-8#ixzz3jgOrWN8J http://www.businessinsider.com/6-of-the-wildest-top-secret-spy-missions-of-world-war-ii-2015-8#ixzz3jgOrWN8J

VIA Jerry Proc, Toronto, Ontario

The title of this page pretty much says it all.

RADIO H.F. PUBLICITY ZONE #3

What is new in books & publications from the American Radio Relay League, the Radio Society of Great Britain, and other publishers?

ARRL Handbook (2016 Hardcover Edition) or (Softcover Edition)
The ARRL Handbook for Radio Communications is a valued reference for radio electronics and wireless communications. Since 1926, it has kept radio amateurs, professionals, and experimenters immersed in applied theory and do-it-yourself projects. The ARRL Handbook covers a wealth of information: the fundamentals of electronics and radio signals, construction practices, antennas and propagation, equipment and circuit design, and other useful reference information.
This 93rd edition of The Handbook continues to keep pace with the fast-moving technology employed around the world. Each chapter is full of practical hands-on information to expand your knowledge as an Amateur Radio operator and experimenter. There are projects for all skill levels, from simple accessories and small power supplies, to legal-limit amplifiers and high-gain antennas. Always Updated!
Product Details
Hardcover: 1280 pages. Softcover Edition also available.
Publisher: The American Radio Relay League, Inc.; Ninety Third Edition/First Printing (September 2015)
ISBN: 978-1-62595-042-0 – Order #0420 (Hardcover) - #0413 (Softcover)
Price: $49.95 U.S. or $59.95 Canadian
SPECIAL LIMITED OFFER: Hardcover on sale for same price as softcover
Shipping Early October

ARRL Antenna Book (23rd Hardcover Edition) or (Softcover Edition)
The ARRL Antenna Book for Radio Communications has everything you need to design your own complete antenna system. Since 1939, it has maintained its place at the forefront of Amateur Radio technology—a single resource covering antenna theory, design and construction, and practical treatments and projects. In this edition, The ARRL Antenna Book describes hundreds of antenna designs: wire, vertical, portable and mobile, and new high-performance VHF/UHF Yagi designs.
Radio amateurs continue to make contributions to the state of the art in antenna design and construction. The available tools have grown in sophistication by leaps and bounds over the past years. Antenna modeling with the low-cost or free programs available to amateurs has

completely changed antenna design and development. A large set of antenna models designed for use with EZNEC 6.0 demo software is included.
Updated to reflect the latest advances and technologies, this 23rd edition is full of antenna designs pioneered by dozens of radio amateurs
Product Details
Hardcover: 992 pages. Softcover Edition also available.
Publisher: The American Radio Relay League, Inc.; Twenty-Third Edition/First Printing (September 2015)
ISBN: 978-1-62594-039-0 – Order #0390 (Hardcover) - #0444 (Softcover)
Price: $49.95 U.S. or $59.95 Canadian
SPECIAL LIMITED OFFER: Hardcover on sale for same price as softcover
Shipping Early October

ARRL Calendar 2016
13-month wall calendar, featuring Amateur Radio DXers and DXpedition teams! Perfect for your home, office or ham shack.
Includes:
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National event dates: ARRL Field Day, Kids Day, JOTA, and more!
Phases of the moon and meteor showers
Holidays and other important dates
2016 Monthly Planner
Bonus Month (January 2017)
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Shipping mid-September 2015

These and other fine radio books and publications are available from Radio HF. Contact Radio HF for pricing and availability on any radio or communications related publications. Shipping is available worldwide. A new completely updated book list is now available on the Radio HF webpage at www.radiohf.ca http://www.radiohf.ca/

THE FUN & SERVICES ZONE

DIFFERENCE BETWEEN

http://www.differencebetween.com/ http://www.differencebetween.com/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

What we do at DifferentBetween.com, we team up with selected academics, subject matter experts and script writers across the world to give you the best possible information in differentiating any two items.

COMPUTER HOPE

http://www.computerhope.com http://www.computerhope.com/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Computer Hope re-invented the term "technical support" by offering free technical support and information to everyone. Today, Computer Hope continues to offer free support and online services that allow any user to learn more about their computer and find technical assistance.

LIFEHACKER

http://lifehacker.com/ http://lifehacker.com/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

We cover a lot of topics here at Lifehacker, from productivity tips and tricks to downloads for all platforms, money-saving strategies, and clever uses for household items. We also build on these tricks—or "life hacks"—over time, which means if you haven't encountered a specific tool or trick before, you might feel a little lost.

THE 2015 HAMFEST/FLEAMARKET ZONE

Here is a list of upcoming events including amateur radio hamfests and fleamarkets, predominantly in Canada. NOTE: All times quoted are local. This list is compiled by Radio Amateurs of Canada, and other sources.

Saturday, September 12, 2015
Ottawa (Carp) 18th Annual Hamfest
Sponsor: Ottawa Amateur Radio Club, Inc.
Location: Carp Agricultural Fairgrounds (in the W. Erskine Johnston Arena at the north end of the fairgrounds), 3832 Carp Road, Ottawa (Carp), Ontario
Times: Commercial Vendor Setup: 7:30 am; Private Vendor Setup: 8 am
Fleamarket Open to Public: 9 am - Noon
Cost: $6 General Admission, $14/table (plus admission)
Talk-in: VE2CRA, 146.94-, 100 Hz
Email: fleamarket@oarc.net mailto:fleamarket@oarc.net
Webpage: http://www.oarc.net/fleamarket http://www.oarc.net/fleamarket

Saturday, September 19, 2015
Hamfest Centre du Quebec – 27th Edition
Sponsor: Club Radioamateur Drummondville
Location: Centre des Loisirs Claude Nault, 480 Lessard, Drummondville, Quebec
Times : Vendors 7 am; Public 9 am
Cost : Admission $8.00; Tables $10 per table + $8.00 admission
Talk-in 146.625-, 110.9 Hz tone
Information: Jacques Genereux, VE2WJG, TEL: 819-478-2847
E-mail: jacques@9bit.com mailto:jacques@9bit.com
Webpage: http://www.raqi.ca/ve2crd/

Sunday, September 20, 2015
London Amateur Radio Club 38th Annual Hamfest
Sponsor: London Amateur Radio Club Inc.
Location: HELLENIC COMMUNITY CENTRE. 133 Southdale Rd.W., London, ON
Times: 9am - 12pm
Cost: Admission- $8; Tables - $15 first one - $10 for each extra one
Talk-in: VA3LON, 147,060 PL 114.8
Email: larchamfest@gmail.ca mailto:larchamfest@gmail.ca
Webpage: http://www.larc.ca http://www.larc.ca/

Saturday, October 3, 3015
HARC Hamfest 2015
Sponsor: The Hamilton Amateur Radio Club
Location: School Fair Building at the Ancaster Fair Grounds, 630 Trinity Road, Ancaster, Ontario L0R 1R0
Times: General Admission: Doors open at 9:00 a.m.
Vendor access: After 7:00 a.m.
Cost: General Admission: $7.00 per person; Vendor Tables: $12.00 per table
Talk-in: Talk-in 146.76 (-) with tone 131.8 VE3NCF
Info: General Info: Paul Fleck,VE3HTF ve3htf@hamiltonarc.ca mailto:ve3htf@hamiltonarc.ca
Phone 289-431-1030
Vendor liaison: Mardy Eedson,VE3QEE ve3qee@hamiltonarc.ca mailto:ve3qee@hamiltonarc.ca
Phone: 905-648-0187
Email: ve3htf@hamiltonarc.ca mailto:ve3htf@hamiltonarc.ca
Webpage: http://www.hamiltonarc.ca http://www.hamiltonarc.ca/

Sunday, October 4, 2015
ComFest 2015 Amateur Radio Swap Meet
Sponsor: Delta Amateur Radio Society
Location: 1720 56 Street, Delta, British Columbia.
Times: Public at 10:00 am
Cost: $5 per person
Talk-in: 147.340+ T107.2 / 444.425+ T107.2
Email: gi@deltaamateurradio.com mailto:gi@deltaamateurradio.com
Webpage: http://www.deltaamateurradio.com http://www.deltaamateurradio.com/

Friday, October 16 & Saturday, October 17, 2015
New England Amateur Radio Festival (NEAR-Fest XVIII)
Sponsor: New England Amateur Radio Festival, Inc.
Location: The Deerfield Fairground, Route 43 approximately 15 miles NE of Manchester NH.
Times: Gates open at 9:00 AM Friday for sellers and buyers.
ADMISSION $10 per person
$10.00 per vehicle into the flea market. Camping fees are $30.00 a night. Tent sites are $15.00.
Talk-in: K1JEK/RPT 146.700 MHz (-600 PL 88.5) 146.52 direct 3.885 MHz Tune your car radio to FM 95.1 or AM 650 for continuous hamfest news and entertainment.
Email: W1RC@near-fest.com mailto:W1RC@near-fest.com
Webpage: http://www.near-fest.com/ http://www.near-fest.com/

Saturday, October 17, 2015
Montreal South Shore Hamfest
Sponsor: Club Radio Amateur Rive-Sud de Montréal
Location: Place Desaulniers, 1023 Taschereau Blvd, Longueuil, Quebec
Times: Vendors 6h00, Visitors 9h00
Cost: Table $ 10.00; Visitors $ 7.00
Talk-in: 145,390 (-) ctcss 103,5 Hz, VE2RSM
Admission $ 7.00
Info: Noël Marcil VE2BR phone: 450-691-2009
Email: hamfest@ve2clm.ca mailto:hamfest@ve2clm.ca
Webpage: http://www.ve2clm.ca/articles.php?lng=fr&pg=120
http://www.ve2clm.ca/articles.php?lng=fr&pg=120

Saturday, October 31, 2015
39TH YORK REGION HAMFEST
Sponsor: York Region ARC
Location: 10801 McCowan Rd, Markham, Ontario
Times: Vendors: 0630 - 0830. General public 0730. Doors open at 0900.
Cost: $7.00 Vendor tables are $33.00 each
Talk-in: VE3YRA 145.350 MHz (-) T: 103.5 Hz OR VE3YRC 147.225 MHz (+) T: 103.5 Hz
Email: yrarc.hamfest@gmail.com mailto:yrarc.hamfest@gmail.com
Webpage: http://yrarc.org http://yrarc.org/

Sunday, November 1, 2015
Maple Ridge Swap Meet
Sponsor: Maple Ridge Amateur Radio Club
Location: Old REC Building, 12460 Harris Rd., Pitt Meadows, British Columbia
Times: Vendors at 7:30 AM; Public at 9:AM
Cost: Tables $20.00; Entry $5.00.
Talk-in: 146.800 -600 + Tone 156.7
Info: Call Nick 604 465-9476
Email: ve7te@mrarc.net mailto:ve7te@mrarc.net
Webpage: http://www.mrarc.net http://www.mrarc.net/

RADIO H.F. PUBLICITY ZONE #4

RADIO HF GIFT CERTIFICATES

Radio HF gift certificates are a great idea if you're not sure what that special person is looking for. Radio HF gift certificates are available in any denomination. Please contact Radio HF for details.

THE RESOURCES ZONE

The following is a listing of clubs, groups, radio broadcasts and other resources that may be of interest to you.

THE CANADIAN INTERNATIONAL DX CLUB (CIDX)

CIDX is Canada's national radio monitoring club, serving radio hobbyists since 1962. Our monthly electronic newsletter, MESSENGER, covers all aspects of the radio monitoring hobby as well as amateur radio coverage.
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PRIME TIME SHORTWAVE

Prime Time Shortwave is a listing of English shortwave broadcast that are updated frequently by webmasters Daniel Sampson and by database administrator Ernest Riley. The schedules are constantly updated from various print and internet sources as well as from monitoring by the webmaster and other shortwave listeners and DXers. The shortwave schedules are available by time, country and frequency format. Also, they are available in ASCII, Dbase and Excel. You will also find links to some of the best radio related websites and to the international broadcasters and time conversion charts (some provided by Craig Braun). Please visit the Prime Time Shortwave webpage at
http://www.primetimeshortwave.com/ http://www.primetimeshortwave.com/

THE INTERNATIONAL RADIO REPORT

The International Radio Report, on CKUT-FM, 90.3 FM in Montreal this month, is available via the Internet live streaming, and on the airwaves of CKUT, Sunday mornings at 10:30 AM Eastern (1430 UTC). The show's co-hosts, Sheldon Harvey & David Asselin, present a weekly half-hour of news, information and developments in radio broadcasting. Now in its 28th year on the air

Visit the CKUT web page for full CKUT programming details.
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You may also listen to archived editions of the programme through the CKUT web site. Send your comments or questions to the International Radio Report, by e-mail, to radioreport@yahoo.com mailto:radioreport@yahoo.com

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Best wishes and 73 from
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